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1. EPC'S WP-2 AD HOC EXPERTS GROUP ON STATISTICAL AND
METHODOLOGICAL PROBLEMS AT THEIR MEETING APRIL 11-13
PRETTY MUCH ACCOMPLISHED THEIR PRINCIPAL TASK OF AGREEING
ON A SIMPLIFIED CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM FOR PUBLIC EXPENDITURES.

2. THE EXPERTS GROUP TENTATIVELY AGREED ON A COMPLETE
FUNCTIONAL TABLE - MOSTLY IN TWO DIGIT CODE, BUT WITH
SOME MINOR EXCEPTIONS WITH THREE DIGITS. THEY WENT THROUGH
THE ENTIRE FUNCTIONAL CLASSIFICATION ON EXPENDITURES, BUT, BECAUSE
OF TIME LIMITATION, DID NOT DISCUSS TAX AIDS AND LOAN GUARANTEES,
ALTHOUGH THE US EXPERT (WAITE) BROUGHT THESE TOPICS TO THE
ATTENTION
OF THE GROUP.

3. THERE WAS ALSO NO TIME TO DISCUSS THE ECONOMIC
CLASSIFICATION OF EXPENDITURES, BUT THIS SUBJECT WILL
BE DISCUSSED (ALONG WITH ANY FUNCTIONAL CLASSIFICATION PROBLEMS
WE HAVE) IN OUR BILATERAL WITH THE SECRETARIAT, NOW SCHEDULED
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MAY 2-4 IN WASHINGTON (REFTEL C). THE SECRETARIAT INTENDS TO COMPILE THE VIEWS OF THE MEMBERS ON ECONOMIC CLASSIFICATION AFTER BILATERALS COMPLETED. US EXPERT SUGGESTED TO THE SECRETARIAT THAT THESE CONVERSATIONS NEXT MONTH IN WASHINGTON BE BROADENED TO INCLUDE SUBJECT OF CONVERSION TO CONSTANT DOLLAR PRICES.

4. NEXT MEETING OF AD HOC EXPERTS GROUP TENTATIVELY PLANNED FOR OCTOBER.
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